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Report on Utilization of Contracts for Personnel Services by Local Boards of Education and Charter Schools

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This report presents the information required by legislation in SL 2014-104, Section 8.5

The State Board of Education and the Charter Schools Advisory Board shall jointly report by December 15, 2014, to the General Assembly on the utilization of contracts for personnel services by local boards of education and charter school boards of directors. The report shall indicate both the purposes and the extent of such contracts prevalent in each local school administrative district and charter schools statewide.

The information requested is not available through regular data collections, and therefore, a manual collection was required. The Department of Public Instruction (DPI) gathered the information to complete the 2014-15 report by gathering the data manually using a survey instrument.

For the purposes of this report, personnel contracts were defined as those contracts for personal service agreements for consulting performed by independent contractors paid through the accounts payable system who receive a 1099 at the end of the year. The information was requested based on actual and projected data for the current year 2014-15.